

Refuge Regulations

Tamarac is a special place established for wildlife. As visitors, we must understand and respect the following regulations to minimize disturbance.

- Visitor use hours are from 5:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. daily.
- Camping and overnight parking is prohibited.
- Collection or disturbing any plant, animal or object is prohibited.
- ATVs, snowmobiles and personal watercraft are prohibited on refuge lands and waters.
- Vehicles are not permitted on the ice. Ice houses must be removed at the end of each day.
- Boating, canoeing and kayaking are permitted only on lakes open to summer fishing.
- Blackbird Lake is open to non-motorized boats or electric boat motor use only.
- Swimming, waterskiing and tubing are prohibited.
- Fires are permitted only in grills at the Chippewa Picnic Site.
- Possession of firearms or weapons is prohibited in the visitor center and other federal buildings.
- Pets must be kept on a leash or under control at all times.
- Additional information on regulations is available at the visitor center and the refuge website.



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Visitor Center Hours:

Mid-May – Mid October

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

Saturday & Sunday 10:00am-5:00pm

Winter

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

1st & 3rd Sundays, Jan-May, 10:00am-5:00pm

Tamarac National Wildlife Refuge

-  Refuge Boundary
-  Visitor Use Area (Open All Year)
-  Sanctuary Area (Open Sept-Feb)
-  Closed Area
-  Wilderness Areas
-  Paved Roads
-  Gravel Roads (Open All Year)
-  Service Roads
-  Blackbird Wildlife Drive (5 Miles)
-  Hiking Trail
-  North Country Hiking Trail
-  X-Country Ski Trails (2 and 6 Mile Trails)
-  Visitor Center and Discovery Center
-  Historical Site
-  Restrooms
-  Picnic Area
-  Information
-  Boat Launch
-  Observation Platform

Boundaries posted in the field supercede all boundaries shown on map.

